## Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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Petition for Waiver of	)	
FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline	)	
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York County School District 1	)	CC Docket No. 02-6
(YORK1, BEN 127243)	)	
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Schools and Libraries Universal Service	)	
Support Mechanism	)	

## Petition for Waiver of FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2019 RE: FCC Form 471 191042011

## I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

York County School District 1 ("YORK1") serves 5000 students, 80% of which identify as low income, Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 12.

YORK1 submitted and certified their Funding Year 2019 FCC Form 471, 191042011, in the "Apply Online" portal of the Schools and Libraries Division ("SLD") of the Universal Service Administrative Company's ("USAC") website, on April 10, 2019, within 14 days after the FCC Form 471 filing deadline of March 27, 2019.

The Technology Director at YORK1 is also the responsible party, at the District, for Filing E-Rate. In addition to running the Technology Department, he is also responsible for Data Services and Power School for the entire District as well as being tasked with solving, hands on technical issues throughout the schools. Despite the many challenges within his schedule and workload, he was able to get the

pertinent information collected and submitted to his E-Rate Consult, Service Associates, Inc. (SAI), in

order to file the District's Form 470 before the close of that window.

In order to comply with the District's procurement rules (and those of the Federal E-Rate program)

YORK1 was required to Issue Award Notifications and wait a grievance period before filing the

applications. Despite scheduling conflicts, and the crippling timing of the resignation of a Full Time

Senior E-Rate Compliance Analyst (within SAI,) YORK1 and SAI, were able to 1) complete the workload

required in order to comply with the procurement code of the district and of that of the Federal E-Rate

Program and 2) file the district's remaining application within the two weeks just following the March 27

Deadline. YORK1's application was still submitted within two weeks of the original filing deadline.

II. Request

On behalf of York County School District 1, I respectfully petition the Commission to request a waiver of

the Funding Year 2019 FCC Form 471 filing deadline, to allow the Out of Window submission of their E-

Rate Funding Year 2019 FCC Form 471 191042011. To do otherwise would further contribute to

unintended consequences of hardship and inequity for the students and teachers of the YORK1.

We all thank you for your kind attention to this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions or

need additional information.

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